

## Social and Personal

**M**R. and MRS. WIRT E. TAYLOR, of 1004 West Franklin Street, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Edith Virginia, to Charles Pickett Lathrop, also of Richmond. Miss Taylor has been one of the acknowledged belles of society in Richmond since her formal presentation winter before last, and is an exceedingly beautiful young girl. No date has been set for the wedding, which will probably take place next fall and will be one of the events of that season here. Mr. Lathrop is prominently related throughout the State, and well known in club circles of Richmond.

### Miss Chataigne Entertained.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter J. Adams, of Norfolk, entertained on Monday evening a beautiful party of friends at their home on Olney Road in honor of their guest, Miss Rene Chataigne, of Richmond. The table was decorated in roses and ferns and covers were laid for eight. The guests were Miss Chataigne, Miss Elise White, of Arlington, Va.; Miss Elizabeth Payne, of Chesapeake, Mont. Osborne, of Orange, and Washington, D. C.

### For Mrs. Swineford's Guests.

Mrs. Oscar Swineford entertained the members of her house party at a very charming dance on Monday evening at the pavilion at Lakeside at 9 o'clock. Those dancing were: Miss Janin with Peyton Fleming; Miss Conway Fleming with Bob Augustine; Miss Marie Sands with Dr. Cutchin; Miss Boocock with Mr. Saunders; Miss Margaret Freeman with Bernard Meredith; Miss Katherine Sinton with Fred Valentine; Miss Mary Chalmers with John Miller; Miss Sarah Starke with Willie Smith; Miss Lucy Taliaferro with Charles Miller; Miss Jellie Scott with Emil Baughman; Miss Elizabeth Taylor with Gene Sutton; Miss Ethel Boudin with Walter Wynn; Miss Elizabeth Bentley with Thomas Swineford; Miss Frances Wheat with Gwin Carlton; Miss Mary Temple, of Danville, with James Cecil; Miss Madeline Cutchin, of Wilson, N. C., with Henry Miller; Miss Rosalie Valentine with Fred Carrington; Miss Mary Saunders with Tony Adams; Miss Edith Donnay with Ted Brown; Miss Laura Jones with Jack Caskey. The chaperones were: Mrs. William C. Bentley, Mrs. Lewis Wheat, Mrs. Conway Sands and Mrs. Swineford. The stage was: James Gwatkin, Alfred Smith, Thomas Neal, Cates-

## Sale of Washable One-Piece Dresses

Only 32 Dresses in this lot. They are made of desirable materials, such as gingham, chambray, linen and rep; all sizes; two and three of a kind. Some braided, others lace yoke, high and low neck, in desirable colors. These Dresses sold at \$7.50, \$5.00 and \$3.98. Your choice to-day while they last at..... **\$2.50**

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Mrs. Swineford also gave a bridge luncheon yesterday for Miss Wheat, Miss Bentley, Miss Temple and Miss Cutchin, and the affair was a very attractive one in every detail. Covers were laid for twelve guests, and dainty prizes awarded at each table.

### Hay Ride for Younger Set.

A very attractive hay ride was given on Monday evening for several members of the younger set here. The party was chartered by Mrs. Benjamin P. Owen and Mrs. Henry Ingram, and starting at "Buck Hill," drove to Mrs. E. L. Bemiss's country place, where several hours were spent in dancing. On their return supper was served at little tables on the lawn at "Buck Hill." Some of those in the party were: Misses Carter Ingram, Margaret Miller, Martha Valentine, Alice Munson, Katie Taylor, Ellen Belme Scott, Messrs. Morson Keith, James Gwatkin, John and Nelson Anthony Adams, Foster Witt, Bernard Meredith, Randolph Owens, Owens, William Thompson, Charles and Henry Miller, Fitzhugh Lafferty.

### Dance at Lakeside.

Another affair for the members of the younger society set in Richmond was given at Lakeside on Monday evening by some of the V. M. I. cadets who are spending the summer in the city. The dance will be given in the pavilion at Lakeside and will be a very charming event.

### Westmoreland Club Outing.

Nearly all of the various parties for the Westmoreland Club cutting to the Friday evening by some of the V. M. I. cadets who are spending the summer in the city. The dance will be given in the pavilion at Lakeside and will be a very charming event.

### Bridge and an Attractive Luncheon.

Bridge and an attractive luncheon will fill the hours Saturday after the party leaves Richmond, and the German Monday evening and more informal entertainments at the new Casino recently opened will be some of the events of the three days' stay in the mountains of Virginia.

### Returned to Baltimore.

Miss Elsie Watts has returned to Baltimore after attending a house party given by Mr. and Mrs. Rozier Placy in Fauquier county, Va. In July Miss Watts will be the guest of Miss Rebecca Beverly at her country home near The Plains, Va.

### Leaves For Manchuria.

William B. Christian, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Judge and Mrs. George L. Christian, at 515 West Grace Street, left last night for the West. He will sail from San Francisco for China and will spend the next four years in Manchuria as an agent for the American Tobacco Company.

### Stay-at-Home Whist Club.

The Stay-at-Home Whist Club met on Monday evening with Mrs. W. R. Robins at the Shirley, on South Third Street. Four tables were engaged and the highest score was made by Mrs. Patterson and W. R. Robins. The next meeting will be held on Monday evening at the residence of Mrs. Bland Smith, corner of Third and Franklin Streets.

### In and Out of Town.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Elliott, who have spent the past summer at Virginia Beach, have returned to Richmond.

### Winston Holt, of Staunton, expects to sail shortly for Europe, where he will visit relatives for some time.

### Mrs. Robert Kent, who has been visiting friends in Roanoke, has returned to her home in this city.

### Mrs. H. A. Sampson and family, of Richmond, are spending the summer at Campbell, Va., with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Money.

### Miss Martha Darden, of Suffolk, Va., is the guest of friends in Richmond for a few weeks.

### Mrs. John Antrim, of Norfolk, is visiting friends in this city for a few days.

### Miss Alston Drake, of 1206 Floyd Avenue, is visiting relatives in Alabama for several weeks.

### Miss Lucy Harrison, of Richmond, is spending some time at Virginia Beach.

### Miss Lee Goode, of Baltimore, who has been visiting in Norfolk, has gone to Fauquier county to be present at the Bangs-Tabb wedding.

### Mrs. Richard Crane III, of New York, who has been a guest of her mother, Mrs. Bruce, in Berryville, passed through the city Monday on her return North.

### Miss Kate Dunlop, of Baltimore, who has been visiting in Petersburg, is now the guest of relatives in Richmond.

### Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Savage and Mrs. Edgar G. Gunn are at the Arlington Cottage, Virginia Beach.

### Mrs. Margaret Ryan Sore, who has

been ill at the Virginia Hospital for several weeks, is now improving.

J. C. Martin, of this city, is spending some time in Charlottesville on business.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hargrave and Miss Mabel Hargrave have returned to Richmond, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Beckwith in Fredericksburg.

Mrs. Oscar Granz and family, of Ginter Park, are at Massanutts, Va., for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Langhorne Putney have taken a cottage at Willoughby Beach for several months.

Mrs. Andrew Taylor, Miss Beale Taylor, Mrs. J. B. Dillard, of Fredericksburg, are visiting relatives in this city.

Albert Diggs, of Ginter Park, spent last week in Atlantic City attending the Seedsmen's Convention.

J. William Branch, of this city, left last evening for Norfolk, where he expects to make his home in future.

Mrs. Ruth Branch Jones, who has been spending a few days in this city with relatives, has returned to her home in Norfolk.

Dr. Ben M. Rosebro, of Richmond, and Frank Rosebro, of Cornell University, are visiting their brother, the Rev. John R. Rosebro, in Fredericksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cowardin, whose wedding was recently celebrated in this city, are now in Roanoke, where they will make their home.

### A Double Wedding.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Charlottesville, Va., June 28.—Two weddings of wide interest in local society were celebrated last night, and this morning, the brides being sisters—Misses Judith and Fontaine Maury, daughters of S. Price Maury, a near relative of Commodore Maury.

The first ceremony took place at 9 o'clock last evening, when Miss Judith Maury, the third daughter of the household, became the bride of Fred L. Trice, of Roanoke, chief clerk to the general manager of the Norfolk and Western Railway. The marriage was performed at the residence of Mrs. C. M. Moore, near the University of Virginia, the Rev. H. B. Lee, rector of Christ Episcopal Church, officiating. Miss Fontaine Maury, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Miss L. Bragg, of Roanoke, the best man. Miss Mary Tice, of Roanoke, and Miss Nan Lemon, of this city, were the bridesmaids. The bride was given away by her brother, Lewis Maury, a cadet at the Virginia Military Institute. A delightful reception followed the ceremony, about thirty guests being present.

The marriage of Miss Ann Fontaine Maury to Oscar Robert Thraives, of Loudon, Powhatan county, took place at 10 o'clock this morning at "Piedmont," the beautiful country home of the bride's uncle, Reuben Maury, situated near the Jefferson Park Hotel, and not far from the University of Virginia. The ceremony was performed under a huge oak close by the residence, the Rev. H. B. Lee, rector of Christ Episcopal Church, officiating. The only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Trice, whose marriage was celebrated last night. A reception followed the ceremony, and Mr. and Mrs. Thraives left this afternoon by private conveyance for a visit to the groom's home in Powhatan county.

Mrs. Thraives is a typical Southern belle. She is a decided brunette, possesses a splendid figure, is extremely fond of horseback riding and tennis. For several years past she has been a prominent figure at various Virginia horse shows, and has landed blue ribbons for numerous exhibitors. Mr. Thraives has been a student in the law school at the University of Virginia for the past two years. While in college he took a prominent part in athletics. Last fall he was centre rush on the varsity football eleven. He came to the University from Richmond College.

### McAfee—Page.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Bristol, Va., June 28.—Nicholas T. McAfee, of City News, and Miss Maggie Page, of Albion, a prominent niece of Judge R. M. Page, a prominent lawyer at Albion, were married here to-day by Rev. L. W. Pierce. It was the consummation of a courtship of fourteen years, which was opposed by the relatives because McAfee and his bride are first cousins.

### McKinn—Tinder.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Fredericksburg, Va., June 28.—Eugene B. McKinn, formerly of Orange county, now of Sparrows Point, Md., and Miss Clara R. Tinder, of Orange county, were married at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. R. L. Tinder, Rev. J. T. Allen officiating. The couple after a bridal trip will reside at Sparrows Point.

### Read—Kerns.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Fredericksburg, Va., June 28.—Henry B. Read, of Stafford county, and Miss Lucy Kerns, of this city, were married here last evening at the home of Rev. R. Aubrey Williams, pastor of the Baptist Church, who performed the ceremony. They will reside on their farm in Stafford county.

### A DOCTOR'S EXPERIENCE

Medicine Not Needed in This Case.

It is hard to convince some people that coffee does them no injury. They lay their bad feelings to almost every cause but the true and unsuspected one. But the doctor knows. His wide experience has proven to him that, to some systems, coffee is an insidious poison that undermines the health.

Ask the doctor if coffee is the cause of constipation, stomach and nervous troubles.

"I have been a coffee drinker all my life. I am now 42 years old, and when taken sick two years ago with nervous prostration, the doctor said that my nervous system was broken down and that I would have to give up coffee."

"I got so weak and shaky I could not work, and reading your advertisement of Postum, I asked my grocer if he had any of it. He said, 'Yes,' and that he used it in his family and it was all it claimed to be."

"So I quit coffee and commenced to use Postum steadily, and found in about two weeks' time I could sleep soundly at night and get up in the morning feeling fresh. In about two months I began to gain flesh. I weighed only 145 pounds when I commenced on Postum, and now I weigh 167 and feel better than I did at 20 years of age."

"I am working every day and sleep well at night. My two children were great coffee drinkers, but they have not drank any since Postum came into the house, and are far more healthy than they were before."

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## GOVERNOR STOPS SPEAKING TOURS

Has Other Work to Do and Will Decline Most of His Invitations.

### OFFICIAL SEALERS SCARCE

Railroads in Quandary Over New Law—Dates for Virginia Fairs.

Governor Mann has definitely decided that he can no longer accept the many invitations for public speaking which have poured in upon him ever since his inauguration, and most of which he has met. From the moment his cheerful willingness to address assemblies of all sorts became known he has been the victim of scores of invitation committees. Churches, Sunday schools, farmers' meetings, educational rallies, college fairs, public and private school commencements, have claimed his attention. With unvarying good humor he has accepted.

As a result his life has been an almost continuous round of train traveling, speeches and preparation for these events. He has been given a cordial reception everywhere and says that his experiences have been most pleasant, but he cannot continue the work. He has other things to do.

The Executive intends to devote a large part of his time to the rebuilding of the agricultural interests of the State. In connection with the work of the United Agricultural Board, which he holds in trust, he will be making a tour of the State during the summer, and with any other agency at his command, he intends to demonstrate what can be done by intelligent farming. He wants to get into the field, and he has no time to spare.

For example, he hopes to increase the crop of the State from 47,000,000 bushels to 100,000,000 bushels a year, and he may have to travel a long distance to earn a very small amount.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway runs through twenty counties, and in only three of these are there official sealers. It runs also through eleven cities, in which there are five sealers. It falls to see how it can obey the law.

A fine of \$10 is imposed by the new sealers for each offense of weighing packages for shipment without the seal of the local authority. As a tribute to the Virginians, however, Colonel Richardson has been next to nothing, and single complaint of short weight from anywhere in the State.

The Governor yesterday issued a requisition on Governor Franklin Fort, of New Jersey, for W. A. Leigh, a negro, who is wanted in Greenville, S. C., for forgery. Leigh is under arrest at Newark.

He granted a requisition issued by Governor W. W. Kilgore, of North Carolina, for a negro, who was captured from a convict road force near Raleigh, Okla., who is in jail at South Boston. At the Governor's office North Carolina possesses the best reputation of all the States for getting after and keeping after its escaped criminals.

A few days ago the Commonwealth had a negro charged with arson in Amelia county, but had no indictment. Now it has the indictment, but no negro.

Willard Thornton was arrested on June 7, charged with setting fire to the bath of W. A. Fort, near Cranberry. He was held in jail on Saturday, June 12. Now the grand jury has returned a true bill against him. The case was worked up by the Department of Insurance, which feels that it has done about enough in the direction of bringing the negro to justice.

Military Commissions. A commission was issued yesterday by the Adjutant-General to Albert S. Burnham to be first lieutenant and adjutant of the Third Battalion of the First Regiment, at Lynchburg.

A commission was issued to Harry F. Levering, of Richmond, to be first lieutenant of Company C, First Regiment.

Addresses on Health. Ensign C. Williams spoke at Wytheville last night on "Public Health and Preventive Medicine."

Commissioner Allen W. Freeman has gone to Halifax county, where he will deliver several addresses on the subject of hookworm.

Virginia Fair Dates. The following list of fairs to be held in Virginia this year was furnished yesterday by Commissioner of Agriculture Kolner: State Fair, Richmond, October 3-9; Danville, October 11-14; Galax, September 1-3; Lynchburg, September 7-9; Radford, September 7-10; Roanoke, September 20-23; Frazeeville, September 12-15. Fairs will also be held at Emporia, Norfolk, Winchester and the Peninsula Fair, at Tazewell.

## NOT INCLINED TO BE A MARTYR

Alvah H. Martin Will Dodge Republican Nomination for Congress.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Norfolk, Va., June 28.—Local political interest to-day began to centre in the Second Congressional District Republican convention, scheduled for Ocean View to-morrow, at which time it is expected that the party will put a candidate in the field from the district to oppose the regular Democratic nominee, whoever that may be.

While there is a sentiment among a number of the out-of-town delegates in favor of nominating Alvah H. Martin, there is little doubt in the minds of the leaders that Mr. Martin will be able to burst this bubble, and that he will personally shift this strength to some one else. It is known that he is opposed to being a martyr of the party in the district, and has repeatedly dodged the honor.

Those well posted in Republican affairs declare that there is little doubt of the nomination of H. H. Rumble, a prominent member of the Norfolk bar, a Republican, and highly regarded in this city. The nomination of Mr. Rumble will be made by D. Lawrence Groner, according to the mapped out program, and the nomination is expected to be by acclamation. R. T. Thorp, of Norfolk, will be made chairman of the convention.

DR. C. R. STRIBLING CALLED TO PETERSBURG.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Lexington, Va., June 28.—At a meeting of Lexington Presbytery in Lexington yesterday, the Presbyterian congregation at Waynesboro was cited to appear at the next meeting of the presbytery in Staunton and show cause why Dr. C. R. Stribling, the pastor, should not accept the call to the pastorate of the Tabb Street Church in Petersburg.

The Timber Ridge Presbyterian Church was granted leave to prosecute a call for Rev. Robert L. Kinard, of Kentucky, to become pastor of that church.

The presbytery accepted the resignation of the session of Collierstown Presbyterian Church, and a commission was appointed to call a congregational meeting to elect a new session. Dr. Alfred T. Graham, of Lexington, was moderator and Rev. S. C. Akers, of Fairfield, clerk.

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